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ADAPTIVE ECHO CANCELLER IMPLEMENTING SUCH METHOD

Inventor(s): Scalart et al.

Application No.: 09/528,952

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4. Two (2) Sheets of Corrected Formal Drawings (Figs. 1 and 2; 2 pgs)
5. Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance (2 pgs)
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

Scalart et al.

Art Unit: 2643

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Examiner: Lun S. Lao

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For: ADAPTIVE IDENTIFICATION  
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**SUBMISSION OF CORRECTED FORMAL DRAWINGS**

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Attn: Official Draftsman

Dear Sir:

Applicants enclose herewith two (2) sheets of corrected formal drawings as required by Paper No./Mail Date 20000320, and request that the same be made of record in this application as a substitute for the informal drawings filed with the application on March 20, 2000.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required to Account No. 07-0181. A duplicate of this communication is enclosed for that purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

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**COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Allowance, applicants provide the following Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance.

**COMMENTS**

The applicants note that the filing date of the present application is incorrectly identified as "01-05-2004" on page 2 of the Notice of Allowance. The correct filing date as reflected on the face of the action, is 3-20-2000.

The applicants generally agree with the Examiner's determination that the prior art does not teach the invention claimed in the allowed application. However, the applicants do not necessarily agree with the Examiner's characterization of the teachings of the prior art or the Examiner's interpretation of the claims of the application. The specification and the prosecution history in their entirety provide the basis for allowability of the claims.

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